

#### LEGISLATIVE SERVICES OFFICE

# **ECONOMIC OVERVIEW**

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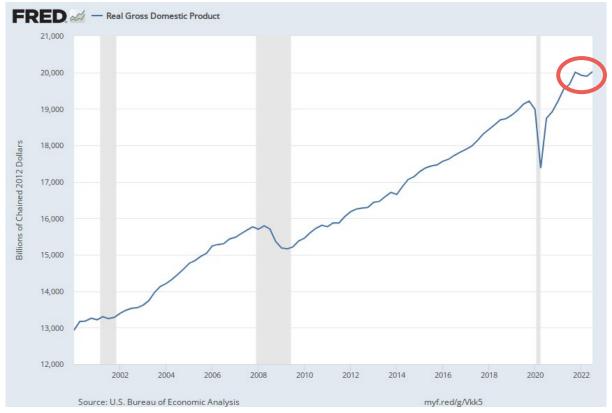
### Economy slowing or recession? Let's look at a few measures

- Gross Domestic Product (GDP)
- CPI and Inflation
- Interest Rates
- Real Income per Capita
- Unemployment



#### **Gross Domestic Product**

Two consecutive quarters of falling real GDP



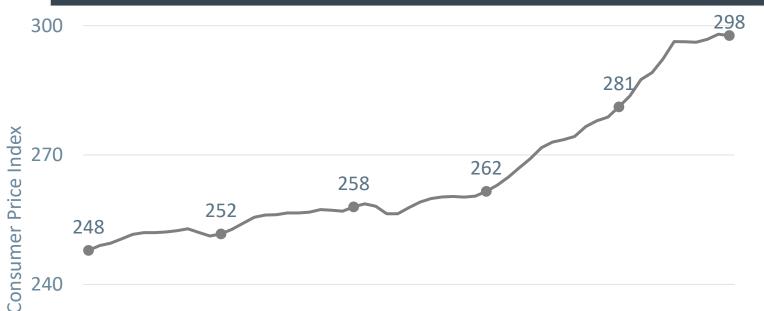


#### Why Inflation is an Economic Indicator?

- 1. Purchasing power of the dollar
- 2. Effectiveness of governmental policy
- 3. Real growth



#### Consumer Price Index and Inflation



| Inflation Rate        |      |
|-----------------------|------|
| 2018                  | 2.4% |
| 2019                  | 1.8% |
| 2020                  | 1.2% |
| 2021                  | 4.7% |
| 2022*                 | 7.9% |
| *Using CPI values     |      |
| through November 2022 |      |

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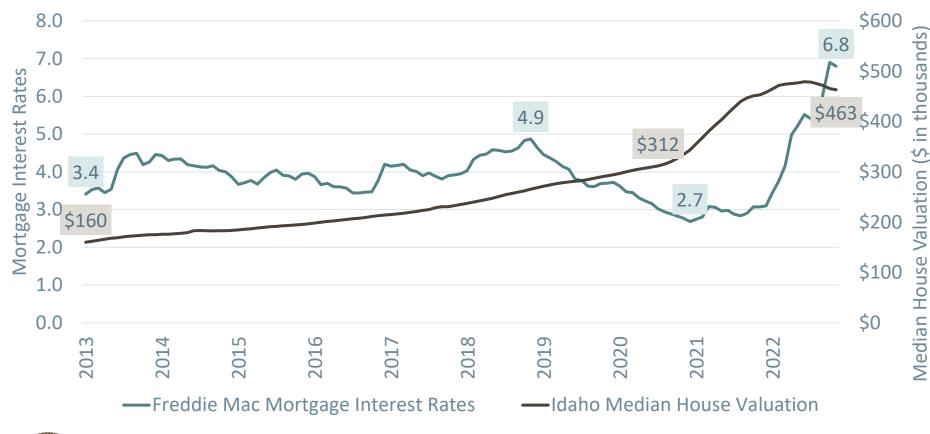
#### Leading Factors for the Rise of Inflation:

- 1. Transportation costs
- 2. Increased costs of production
- 3. Wage-price inflation



#### Interest Rates and Housing Market

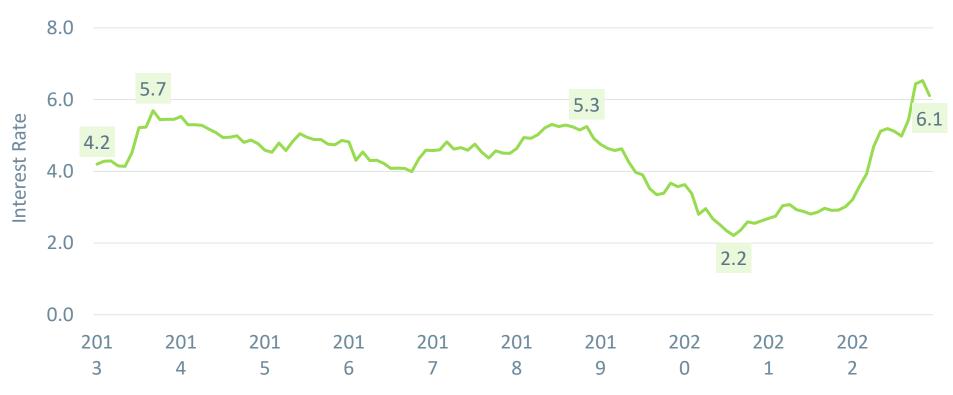
Mortage Interest Rates Compared to Idaho Median House Valuations





## Small Business Administration Interest Rates

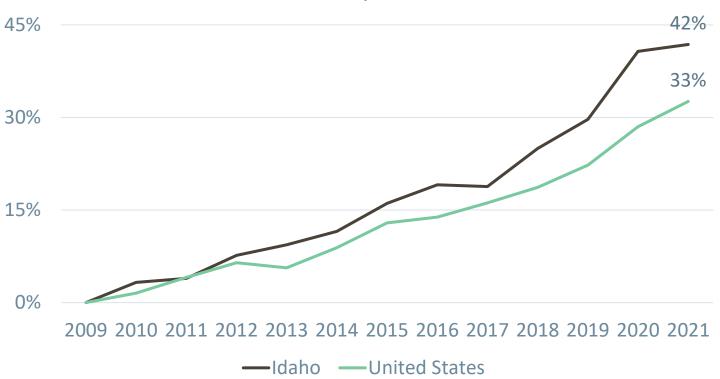
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#### Real Income Per Capita

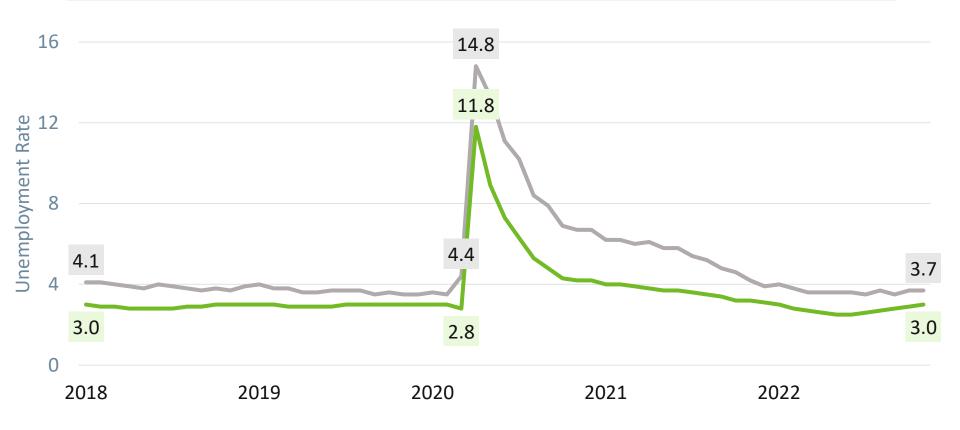








#### Unemployment Rate





#### What this means for Idaho?

- Growing real personal income per capita
- Low unemployment
- Record revenues

